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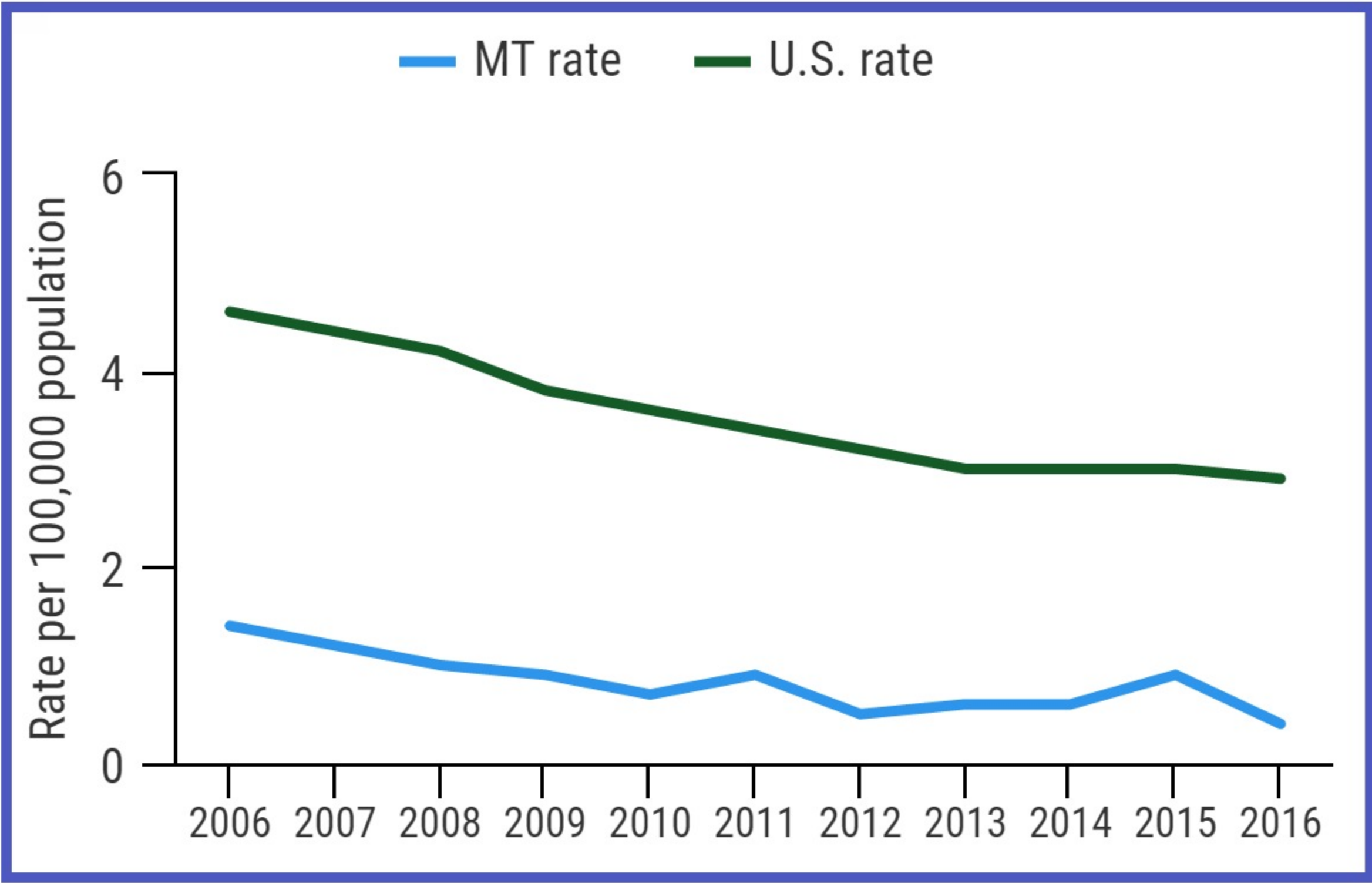
TB cases reported in Montana 2006-2016

8

deaths

Tuberculosis in Montana: 2006-2016

TB disease is on an overall downward trend



Who should be tested for TB?

- contacts of people with TB disease
- people from countries where TB is common
- people with immunocompromising conditions
- people who spend time in places where TB is more common (hospitals, shelters, correctional facilities)

30%

of contacts to a case become infected with latent TB

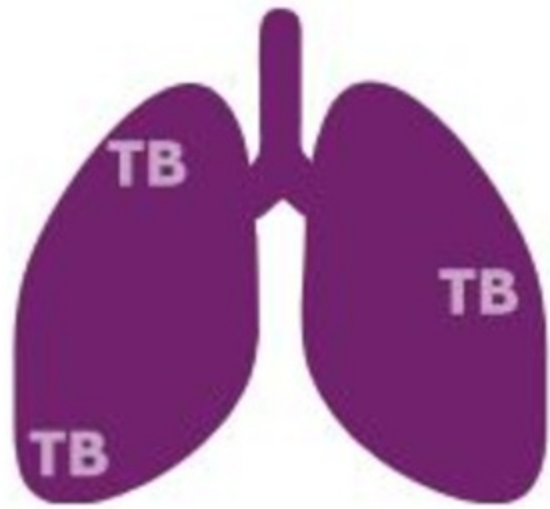
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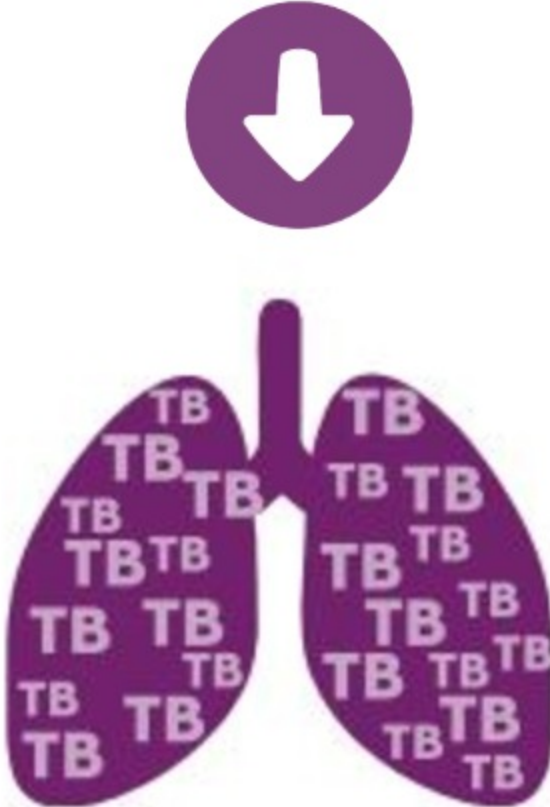
WORLD TB DAY

MARCH 24

No country has ever eliminated



Latent TB Infection
TB germs are in the body but not enough to cause disease or spread to others.



TB disease
If TB germs become active and multiply latent TB infection can turn into TB disease.

Treatment
An uncomplicated case of TB will take at least



MDR TB will take



Drug-resistant TB is complex and costly

TB cases from 2006-2016:

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were resistant to one first-line drug

2

were multi-drug resistant

Direct treatment cost per case

Latent TB Infection	\$500
Non or Single Drug-Resistant TB	\$18,000
Multi-Drug Resistant TB (MDR)	\$154,000
Extensively Drug Resistant TB (XDR)	\$494,000